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**AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.**  
LONDON.—F. ALGAR, 11, Clement's Lane,  
Leicester Street, GEORGE STREET, 30,  
Catharine Hill, GORDON & GUTCH, 121, Hol-  
born Hill, E.C. BATES HENDY & Co.,  
4, Old Jewry, E.C.  
AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW  
ZEALAND.—GORDON & GUTCH, Mel-  
bourne and Sydney.  
SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports  
generally.—WHITE & BAUER, San  
Francisco.  
CHINA.—SHEWAN, DUNN & Co. Amoy,  
Giles & Co. Foochow, THOMPSON &  
Co. Shanghai, H. POGG & Co. Ma-  
nila, C. KÄRSTEN & Co.

## Arrivals.

Aug. 30, *Schiller*, H. M. steamer, 1426,  
Joseph Edye, Singapore, Aug. 11.  
Aug. 31, *Undine*, Brit. steamer, 386,  
Toppin, Foochow, Amoy and Swatow, 27,  
28 and 29, D. LAPRAIK & Co.  
Aug. 30, H. M. G. B. *Grasshopper*, Fill-  
pot, Singapore and Wha Wang, Aug. 11  
and 19.  
Aug. 30, *John Bright*, Brit. steamer, 677,  
Gumbing, Bombay and Singapore, Aug. 8  
and 23, 45, 100 tons Opium and 1000 bales  
Cotton.—D. S. SASSON & Co.  
Aug. 30, *Johanna*, N. Ger. brig, 218,  
Hegmann, Tientsin, July 21, General.—  
E. SORELHANS & Co.  
Aug. 30, *Lies of Gavel*, British brig,  
223, J. C. Dixon, Sydney, June 2, 325 tons  
Coal and Sundries.—A. HOGG & Co.

## Departures.

Aug. 31, *City of Quebec*, for Foochow.

## Shipping Reports.

The North German brig *Johanna*, from  
Tientsin, reports, the first part of passage  
fine weather and light southerly winds as  
far as Shanghai, thence had light E. wind  
as far as Breaker Point, then heavy squall  
and heavy sea, after which moderate and  
light southerly breeze till arrival. On 16th  
August saw the British ship *Earl of Eglinton*,  
bound South.

The British steamer *John Bright*, from  
Bombay and Singapore, reports having left  
Bombay on the 6th inst. and Singapore on  
23d. Light S.W. wind first part, latter  
part N.E., up China sea. *Quang Tung*, in  
Singapore, to leave on 28th inst.; *Glengyle*  
arrived on 22d inst.

The British steamer *Undine*, from East  
Coast, reports moderate S.W. winds all the  
way from Foochow, with fine weather.  
The steamer *Yano* arrived in Swatow  
on the morning of the 29th.

The H. M. Gun-boat *Grasshopper*, from  
Singapore and Wha Wang, reports H. M.  
Gun-boat *Weazel*, arrived at Singapore on  
11th August. H. M. S. *Adventure* was at  
Singapore on same date. Heavy swell from  
the N.W. after leaving Singapore; wind  
moderate.

The British brig *Lies of Gavel*, from  
Sydney, reports the first part of passage  
had had weather; latter part light winds  
and squally, with much rain. Crossed the  
Line on July 11th, in long. 156-54 E., 89  
days out; in company with ship *John  
Nicholson*, from Newcastle bound to Shang-  
hai, in lat. 13-12 S. long. 170-17 E. On  
July 23d, at 11 a.m., passing Nanourick  
Island, Caroline Group, saw a number of  
canoes coming off to the vessel, some under  
sail and others paddling; prepared the fire  
arms in case of their being hostile, but on  
coming alongside they appeared to be quite  
peaceable, having no weapons whatever  
with them. They brought off a few Shells  
and Cocoa Nuts, likewise some fish hooks  
made from Tortoise and other shells, their  
own manufacture, for which the crew bar-  
tered with Tobacco and Knives. There  
were ten canoes in all, with from one to  
four men in each; they had no wish to come  
on board.

## New Advertisements.

**NOTICE.**  
PAWETT & Co. having received NEW  
GOODS, per *Chetah*, and *Veronica*,  
will open a Temporary Store, "TOMOR-  
ROW," on the 1st September, 1868, in the  
lower portion of their Premises, facing  
Wynham Street, and next to their late  
Store.

**FOR SALE.**  
Bass's Pale Ale, in bulk and Kildrinks.  
Do. Do. in pints and quarts.  
Guinness's Dublin Stout, etc. and qts.  
Hennessey's Pale Brandy, in bulk and  
bottles.  
Swain Boord's Ginger Brandy and Old  
Tom.  
Fine Dinner, After Dinner, and Break-  
fast Claret.  
Pale Sherry and old Port, &c., &c.  
Also  
York Hams, Cheddar and Dutch Cheese,  
Lard Sugar, Jams, Pickles, Tart-Fruit,  
Currants, Raisins (padding), kippered  
Sardines, pickled and fresh Salmon, Hops,  
Butter, Ox Tongues in Jelly, Cocoa and  
Chocolate and Milk, Botted Meats, Sauce  
and Anchovies, fancy Biscuits, Pickled  
Herrings, Lime Juice, and other Goods.  
Hongkong, August 31, 1868.

**CONSIGNEES** of Cargo per Company's  
Steam-ship "*Tigre*," are requested  
to send in their bills of lading for counter-  
signature and to take delivery of their  
Goods before the 4th of September next, or  
they will be landed and stored at their risk  
and expense.  
C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent.  
Hongkong, August 31, 1868.

## New Advertisements.

**FAREWELL PERFORMANCE**  
OF  
THE AUSTRALIAN COMPANY.  
LUSITANO THEATRE.  
GRAND GALA NIGHT.  
COMPLIMENTARY BENEFIT  
TO  
MR. ROBT. TAYLOR.

MR. R. TAYLOR begs leave to announce  
to the Citizens of Hongkong, that he  
has been tendered a Complimentary Bene-  
fit by a few of his personal friends, which  
will take place  
**THIS EVENING, AUGUST 31st.**  
And solicits the patronage of all who wish  
to enjoy a rich evening's treat.

For this occasion  
MISS ANNIE HILL,  
has most kindly volunteered her valuable  
Services, and will appear in different char-  
acters.

First Time in Hongkong of  
SAM SLICK, (the Yankee Pedlar).

First night of the amusing farce  
A PAIR OF PIGEONS.

MISS ANNIE HILL  
in her favorite Song, "My Johnny was a  
Shoemaker."

Messrs. R. TAYLOR and MILLINER  
in new and exciting Acts.

SAILORS' HORNSPIPE,  
(in Character) by Miss ANNIE HILL.

Mrs. W. T. ADEY, in  
NEW SONGS and DANCES.

For full particulars see Programme.

Tickets can be had and Seats secured at  
Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.  
Hongkong, August 31, 1868.

## NOTICE.

THE CONNECTION of Mr. S. P. WARD with  
our Firm ceases from this date.

THOS. HUNT & Co.  
Hongkong, August 29, 1868.

## FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.

The Steam-ship  
"*UNDINE*,"  
Capt. TOPPIN, will leave for  
the above ports, on Thursday,  
the 3rd September, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
DOUGLAS LAFRAIK & Co.  
Hongkong, August 31, 1868.

## FOR SHANGHAI.

The N. G. First-class barque  
"*MILADY*,"  
LEMPERT Master, will leave  
on the 6th September, and has  
room left for 100 tons of light Freight.

Apply to  
WM. PUSTAU & Co.  
Hongkong, August 31, 1868.

## FROM BOMBAY & SINGAPORE.

THE STEAMER "*JOHN BRIGHT*" having  
arrived from the above Ports, the  
Consignees of Cargo by her are requested  
to send in their Bills of Lading for counter-  
signature to the Undersigned, and to take  
immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the Steamer's discharge,  
will be landed and stored at Consignees'  
risk and expense.

DAVID SASSON, SONS & Co.  
Hongkong, August 31, 1868.

## HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given, that, on and  
after the first of September, the prices  
charged in the Hotel will be as under:—

Single Breakfast, \$1.00  
" Dinner, 1.00  
" Dinner, 1.50

For Resident Boarders (in addition to the  
Amount charged for Lodging) \$50  
per month.

Non-Resident Boarders, \$65 per month.  
Arrangements have been made to secure  
the services of a First Class French Cook.

By order of the Board of Directors.  
J. F. ROSE,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, August 29, 1868.

## NOTICE.

THE Undersigned returns thanks for past  
favours and would remind the Gentle-  
men at Hongkong, that the most agreeable  
health inspiring treats obtainable, can be  
had at the Hongkong Hotel. HARRIS DRESS-  
ING SALOON. Constant moving punkah and  
showers of fragrant odour, which render the  
body cool and comfortable.

Hair Cutting, 20 Cts.  
Shampooing, 20 Cts.  
Shaving, 20 Cts.  
Hair cutting and Shampooing, 1.00.

W. P. MOORE,  
Tonsorial Artist.  
Hongkong, August 29, 1868.

## WANTED.

A MANAGER for the HONGKONG HOTEL,  
one who has had experience and  
knows how to conduct such an Establish-  
ment. Applications, with Testimonials, to  
be made in writing, addressed to the Di-  
rectors and sent in to the Office of the Com-  
pany, at the Hotel.

Hongkong, August 19, 1868.

## J. W. WOOD.

PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT.  
GENERAL APPRAISER,  
SURVEYOR OF DAMAGED GOODS.  
Office, CHAMBER OF COMMERCE,  
Medical Hall, Queen's Road.  
Hongkong, 25th July, 1868.

## New Advertisements.

**NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS.**

MESSRS FLOYD & Co. beg most re-  
spectfully, to inform their subscribers,  
that the series of Views of Hongkong, etc.,  
etc., published by them, will be ready for  
selection on Saturday next.

In consequence of the great demand for  
these magnificent views, orders will be ex-  
ecuted in order as subscribed.

In sets of 50, \$25.  
" 25, 15.  
Hongkong, July 22, 1868.

## MRS. VINTON'S PRIVATE FAMILY.

BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT,  
Hollywood Road, next door to the Horze  
de Buren's.

Hongkong, May 1, 1867.

## NOTICE.

THE Undersigned having PURCHASED  
the Interest of the "WANHOI STEAM  
BAKEWELL," begs to notify the Public of Hong-  
kong and Ship Masters that he is prepared  
to furnish Daily Supplies of Soft BREAD  
in various forms, to any part of the Co-  
lony.

Also Ship BREAD of best quality and at  
low rates constantly on hand or baked in  
quantities at short notice.

Also Water, Butter, Soda and Sugar  
BISCUITS by the Barrel, Tin or Pound.

Also Corn and Rye MEAL, HOMINY,  
CORN STARCH, BICARB. SODA, Salts  
and Cream TARTAR.

FLOUR of best Brands constantly on  
hand supplied by the Barrel, Bag, Tin or  
Pound.

CAKE of all kinds baked to order.

The above is under the Superintendence  
of Mr. JONATHAN PARSONS, and all orders  
forwarded to him, at the Bakery, or left at  
Messrs THOS. HUNT & Co.'s will receive  
prompt attention.

L. P. WARD.  
Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

## Auctions.

**PUBLIC AUCTION.**  
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have  
been instructed to sell by Public  
Auction,  
(On account of whom it may concern.)  
ON  
**TUESDAY,**  
1st September, 1868, at Noon, in the  
Premises recently occupied by Mr. J. W.  
PEARCE, of Messrs. Fawcett & Co.  
Sundry FURNITURE, etc., etc., more  
or less damaged, saved from the fire on  
the 13th August.

Also,  
(On account of whom it may concern.)  
at 12.30 o'clock,  
On the site of Messrs. Fawcett & Co.'s  
late Store,  
Sundry Brassware, Iron Nails, Twine,  
Iron Chests, etc., etc.  
(All more or less damaged, saved from  
the same fire.)

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery  
in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.  
All Lots with all faults and errors of  
description at purchaser's risk on the fall  
of the hammer.

Hongkong, August 28, 1868.

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

GENERAL WEEKLY SALE.  
LAMBERT, ATKINSON & Co. will  
sell by Public Auction, on  
**TUESDAY,**  
the 1st September, 1868, at Noon, at  
their Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,—  
72 doz. Swiss Book Handkerchiefs,  
223 doz. Lawn Handkerchiefs, 100 doz.  
Fine Linen Handkerchiefs, 150 doz.  
Cotton Print Handkerchiefs, 32 pieces  
30 inch Printed Lawn, 54 doz. Linen  
Frock Bodies, 10 pieces blue and white  
Linen Listados, 10 pieces red and white  
Linen Listados, 25 pieces all wool fancy Flan-  
nels, 10 pieces Saxony white Flannels,  
20 doz. fancy woollen Shirts, 10 doz. silk  
Umbrellas, 60 doz. Towels, 8 cases each  
25 gross Bryant and May's Safety Match-  
es, 80 boxes Stearine Candles, 50 drums  
Hubbuck's Pale Boiled Turpentine Oil, 10  
drums Hubbuck's Turpentine, 20 cwt.  
Hubbuck's white Zinc Paint, 20 cwt.  
Hubbuck's assorted Paints, 100 cases  
Cherry Cordial, 50 cases English Old  
Tom, 40 cases quarts India Pale Ale, 30  
cases pints Bass's Pale Ale, 30 cases  
Claret (Medoc), 18 cases Sardines, 30  
cases Provisions and Oilman's stores, 8  
barrels Hamburg Pork (slightly dam-  
aged), 6 barrels Hamburg Beef (slight-  
ly damaged).

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on delivery in  
Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.  
Hongkong, August 29, 1868.

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

LAMBERT, ATKINSON & Co. have  
received instructions to sell by Public  
Auction, on  
**THURSDAY,**  
the 3rd Sept., 1868, at 11 o'clock A.M.,  
At the Godowns of Messrs. BOURN &  
HUBBARD & Co., Praya.  
For account of the Concerned,  
Ex "*Caroline*."  
309 cases CASSIA LIGNEA,  
(All more or less damaged by sea water.)  
TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on delivery in  
Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.  
Hongkong, August 29, 1868.

## Auctions.

**PUBLIC AUCTION.**

THE Undersigned has received in-  
structions from the Trustees of DENT &  
Co.'s Estate to sell by Public  
Auction, (if not previously disposed by  
private sale) on the 5th day of September  
next, the Property situated at the corner  
of Wellington and d'Aguilar Streets on a  
portion of Inland Lot No. 137, and  
known as DENT & Co.'s STABLES.

The Property has a frontage of about  
97 feet in Wellington Street 76 feet on  
d'Aguilar Street and comprises an area  
of about 7370 square feet.

The Sale will take place on the Pre-  
mises at 3 P.M.

TERMS OF SALE.—One half of the pur-  
chase money to be paid on fall of the  
hammer and balance on completion of  
transfer. The Property to be at pur-  
chaser's risk on fall of the hammer.

For further particulars apply to  
W. N. MIDDLETON,  
Auctioneer.  
Hongkong, July 9, 1868.

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received in-  
structions from the Trustees of DENT &  
Co.'s Estate, to sell by Public Auction  
(if not previously disposed of by private  
sale), on an early day in November next,  
on the Ground,—  
THE BUILDINGS known as DENT &  
Co.'s HONGKONG PRAYA PROPERTY, mea-  
suring 298 feet in frontage by 175 feet  
in depth, situated on Marine Lot No. 7,  
and consisting of—  
One DWELLING HOUSE in the  
Eastern Wing, containing 5 Rooms on the  
1st Floor and 8 Rooms on the 2nd  
Floor, with Bath Rooms, Kitchens, Out  
Offices, &c., &c. with Gas and Water laid  
on, and a Godown below capable of hold-  
ing about 2,000 Tons.

The Centre BUILDING known as  
DENT & Co.'s Offices, containing 8 Rooms,  
Compartments, Quarters, Spacious Fire-  
proof Treasury and Godown, capable of  
holding about 1,000 Tons.

One DWELLING HOUSE in the  
Western Wing, containing 5 Rooms on the  
1st Floor and 6 Rooms on the 2nd Floor,  
with Bath Rooms, Kitchens, Out Offices,  
&c., &c. with Gas and Water laid on, and  
a Godown below of about 2,000 Tons  
capacity.

Crown Rent \$917.64 per annum.

These Buildings have only been erected  
two years and are built of Granite and  
Brick, the woodwork being Teak through-  
out.

The whole of this Property to be sold  
either in one or more lots to suit pur-  
chasers.

TERMS OF SALE.—One third of the  
purchase money to be paid on fall of the  
hammer, one third 2 months after sale,  
and the balance 4 months after sale, in  
Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.  
Transfer expenses to be borne by the  
purchasers.

For further particulars or details of  
plans, apply to  
Messrs BRENNER & LAYCOCK,  
4, Austin Friars,  
London, E.C.

Or, in Hongkong, to the Undersigned,  
MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.  
Hongkong, June 10, 1868.

## Banks.

**HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-  
ING CORPORATION.**

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF  
DOLLARS.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.  
Chairman.—GORDON J. HENDERLAND, Esq.  
Deputy Chairman.—Geo. F. HERR, Esq.  
W. H. FORBES, Esq. JAMES B. TAYLOR, Esq.  
SOLOMON D. SASSON, Esq.  
A. J. JUST, Esq.  
WILLIAM LEMANN, Esq. J. P. DUNCANSON, Esq.  
JULIUS MENKE, Esq. RICHARD ROWETT, Esq.  
and  
R. R. BELLIOS, Esq.

Managers.  
Hongkong, . . . VICTOR KRESSER, Esq.  
Shanghai, . . . DAVID MACLEAY, Esq.  
LONDON BANKERS.—London and County  
Bank.

## HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED  
ON Current Deposit Accounts at the rate  
of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily  
balances.

Fixed Deposits:—  
For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum.  
" 6 " 4 " " " "  
" 12 " 5 " " " "

Credits granted on approved Securities,  
and every description of Banking and  
Exchange business transacted.

Drafts, granted on London, and the  
chief Commercial places in Europe, India,  
Australia, America, China and Japan.

VICTOR KRESSER,  
Chief Manager.

Offices of the Corporation,  
No. 1, Queen's Road East.  
Hongkong, June 17, 1868.

## Shipping.

**FOR SAN FRANCISCO.**

The A 1 Amer. Clipper-ship  
"*RICHARD S. ELY*,"  
1,100 tons Register, LOMBARD  
Master, will have quick des-  
patch as above.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
BOSMAN & Co.  
Hongkong, July 2, 1868.

## NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of R. D. 6670, 5 chests  
Males Opium, Ex "*Columbian*," are  
informed that they have been on board the  
"*Fort William*" since the 18th July at  
their risk and expense, and are requested  
to take immediate delivery.

W. MACAULAY,  
Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,  
Hongkong, August 28, 1868.

## BRITISH SHIP "COREA," FROM LONDON.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above  
named vessel are requested to send in  
their Bills of Lading for countersignature  
to the Undersigned, and to take immediate  
delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the ves-  
sel will be landed and stored at Consignees'  
risk and expense.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.  
Hongkong, August 27, 1868.

## NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the "*Savoir  
Faire*," Captain HARBORD, from Gal-  
cutta, are hereby informed that all Cargo  
impeding the discharge of the vessel will  
be landed and stored at the risk and ex-  
pense of the Consignees.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co.  
Hongkong, August 26, 1868.

## S. S. "T. A. GIBB," FROM CALCUTTA AND SINGAPORE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above  
named Vessel are requested to send in  
their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for  
countersignature, and take immediate de-  
livery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the ves-  
sel will be landed and stored at Con-  
signees' risk and expense.



## Notices of Firms.

**NOTICE.**  
I HAVE this day established myself as a  
PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE AD-  
JUSTER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT.  
G. LANGDON DAVIES.  
2 Club Chambers.  
Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

**NOTICE.**  
MY Business, as Ship and Insurance  
Broker, Commission Agent, &c. hitherto  
carried on by myself, will henceforward be  
conducted under the style or Firm of J. S.  
HOOK, SON & Co.  
J. S. HOOK.  
Hongkong, September 23, 1867.

**NOTICE.**  
FROM and after this date Mr GEORGE F.  
BOWMAN will act as AGENT of the  
Pacific Mail Steamship Company at this  
Port.  
S. L. PHELPS,  
Agent.  
Hongkong, August 15, 1867.

**NOTICE.**  
THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr  
FRANCIS PARRY and Mr THOMAS  
SMITH in our Firm ceased on 31st Decem-  
ber, 1867, from which date the Partners are  
Mr CHARLES WILSON MURRAY, Mr ARTHUR  
SMITH and Mr THOMAS FYLE.  
BURLINGAME & Co.  
Hongkong, June 10, 1868. 16sep

## Houses and Lands.

**TO BE LET.**  
THE HOUSE No. 10, Shelley Street. Gas  
and Water laid on. Rent \$45 per  
month.  
Apply to THOS. HOWARD.  
Hongkong, August 29, 1868. 16sep

**TO LET.**  
HAT very desirable RESIDENCE  
situated at the Albany, No. 3, facing  
the Public Gardens, containing Six Rooms,  
Bath Rooms, &c., Water and Gas laid on,  
in perfect repair. Possession on 1st Oct.  
For Terms, apply to  
THOS. W. BARRINGTON,  
53, Wyndham Street.  
Hongkong, August 29, 1868. 16sep

**FOR STORAGE OR TO LET.**  
ONE Large Dry Godown, situated on the  
Praya, next to Messrs Wm. PETERSON  
& Co.  
Apply to L. FRICKEL & Co.  
Hongkong, August 28, 1868.

**TO LET.**  
THE whole of the upper part of the house  
on Pedder's Wharf, at present occu-  
pied by the Underigned. Possession on  
the 15th Proximo.  
THOS. HUNT & Co.  
Hongkong, August 24, 1868.

**TO LET.**  
THREE Spacious GODOWNS suitable  
for storing dry Goods; also a Freight  
Godown capable of containing 1,000  
casks of Opium. Situated in the most cen-  
tral part of Queen's Road. Apply to  
J. F. ROSE, Secretary,  
Hongkong Hotel Company, Limited.  
Hongkong, August 12, 1868. 16sep

**TWO HOUSES TO BE LET.**  
RECENTLY put in thorough repair, sit-  
uated on the River of the Hills,  
Westward, and an easy distance from the  
Queen's Road. Apply to  
MR. BARRINGTON,  
Wyndham Street.  
Hongkong, May 13, 1868.

**TO LET.**  
THE OFFICES situated in Queen's Road,  
formerly occupied by Messrs LYALL,  
STILL & Co. Apply to  
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.  
East Point, June 15, 1868. 16sep

**LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE.**  
THE Underigned will undertake to land  
Cotton, Rice, Coals, and other Mer-  
chandise, in their own Boats, and to receive  
the same on STORAGE in First-class Gran-  
ite godowns, on Moderate Terms.  
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.  
Hongkong, March 4, 1866.

**TO LET.**  
THE OFFICE GODOWN situated at the  
corner of Wellington and Aberdeen  
Streets, and at present in the occupation of  
Messrs ELMENHORST & SANDERS.  
For particulars, apply to  
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.  
Hongkong, March 6, 1866.

**TO LET.**  
4 COMMODIOUS HOUSES, situated in  
Morrison Hill, commanding a thorough  
view of the Harbour, with Stables, &c.  
Apply to  
THOMAS WALLACE,  
East Point Godowns.  
Hongkong, June 6, 1868.

**NOTICE.**  
TO LET.  
THE desirable PREMISES on the Queen's  
Road, lately in the occupation of the  
Asiatic Bank.  
For particulars, apply to  
SMITH, ARCHER & Co.  
Hongkong, May 18, 1868.

**FIRST Rate ROOMS** for Offices or Dwell-  
ing HOUSE for Families in the Queen's  
Road, No. 93, with new Verandah. The  
whole in a thorough state of repair.  
Apply to  
Messrs Wm. SCHMIDT & Co.,  
Gunmakers.  
Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

**TO LET.**  
THE BUSINESS PREMISES, formerly  
occupied by Messrs ARNOLD, KAR-  
nand & Co., consisting of Dwelling House,  
Offices, and spacious Godowns.  
Possession to be had on the 1st March.  
Apply to  
JOHN BURD & Co.  
Hongkong, February 22, 1868.

**TO LET.**  
FOUR Large ROOMS on Second Floor  
above the Office of the Underigned,  
44, Queen's Road, at present occupied by  
Messrs O. HOOK & Co. Possession can be  
taken on the 1st of January, 1869.  
For Terms, &c., apply to  
G. DUBOST & Co.  
Hongkong, November 9, 1867.

## Houses and Lands.

**TO LET.**  
A HOUSE in Spring Gardens, containing  
four Rooms and Out Houses; Rent  
\$28 per month.  
Apply at the Victoria Foundry.  
Hongkong, March 12, 1868.

**TO BE LET.**  
TWO New and Strong GODOWNS on  
Marine Lot No. 63.  
Apply to  
GAVIN THOMPSON,  
at GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.'s, 11.  
Hongkong, December 16, 1867.

**STORAGE FOR OPIUM.**  
THE Underigned is prepared to STORE  
Opium in a first-class Granite Godown  
on premises situated on Praya Central.  
CHARLES RIVINGTON,  
3, Stanley Street.  
Hongkong, June 9, 1868.

**For Sale.**  
FOR SALE.  
DRAUGHT PORTER in Kilderkins.  
Apply to  
HOWARD HODGES.  
Hongkong, August 27, 1868. 16sep

**FOR SALE.**  
100 Barrels PORTLAND CEMENT.  
50 " ROMAN " RAY & Co.  
Hongkong, August 28, 1868. 28sep

**JUST RECEIVED.**  
Ex "Emile," direct from France, and for  
Sale by the Underigned.  
100 BARRELS Prime Family Salt  
PORK, 100 lbs each, \$14.  
60 bbls. Prime Salt FISH'S EARS  
and FEET, 25 lbs each, \$6.  
60 best French Smoked HAMs, \$4 ea.  
In first rate condition and well adapted  
for Families and private Mess.  
G. DUBOST & Co.  
Hongkong, August 26, 1868. 28sep

**SELLING OUT.**  
THE Underigned beg to call the atten-  
tion of Ship Masters and the General  
Public that from and after this date, they  
will sell the whole of their Stock at Cost  
Price.  
The above Stock consists of Ship Chan-  
dery in all its details, House and Cooking  
Utensils, Oilman's Stores every descrip-  
tion, Dinner and Breakfast Sets and White  
Crochery Ware, Canebuses, Scales, Outfry,  
Plated Ware, Carpenters', Blacksmiths' and  
Machinists' Tools, Boiler Plates and Angle  
Iron, Paints, Oils, Tar and Varnish, Bran-  
dy, Whiskey, Gin, Rhine and English  
Wines, Liqueurs, &c., &c., &c.  
THOS. HUNT & Co.  
Hongkong, August 15, 1868. 16sep

**PER MAIL, Aug. 13.**  
WHITE and Colored Kid GLOVES.  
Ladies' Gentlemen's and Children's  
HATS.  
LACE JACKETS, MANTLES, FI-  
CHUS, &c., &c.  
Dress MATERIALS of all kinds.  
FURNITURE DAMASKS, REPS,  
FRINGES, TRIMMING, &c., &c.  
Table CLOTHS, BOWLS, &c. Toys,  
CROQUET GAMES, &c.  
MISS GARRETT,  
Millinery and Drapery Establishment,  
Queen's Road.  
Hongkong, August 13, 1868. 16sep

**FOR SALE.**  
MANILA HAND WOOD.  
Consisting of  
MOLAVES,  
BANABAS,  
ARANGAS,  
And other descriptions.  
Apply to  
LANDSTEIN & Co.  
Hongkong, August 11, 1868.

## New Advertisements.

**PUBLIC AUCTION.**  
THE Underigned has received instruc-  
tions to sell by Public Auction, on  
WEDNESDAY,  
the 2nd September, 1868, at 12 o'clock,  
on the Premises, under a distress for rent,  
THE GOODS and CHATELAIN, com-  
prising—Household Furniture, Glass-  
ware, Crochery, Pictures, one Piano, &c.,  
etc., contained in House No. 11, Bridges  
Street and corner of Tank Lane.  
TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery  
in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.  
J. M. ARMSTRONG,  
Auctioneer.  
Hongkong, August 31, 1868. 28sep

**FRIDAY.**  
4th September, at 11 A.M.  
(For the benefit of the concerned.)  
27 bales AMERICAN DRILLS,  
Damaged by sea water.  
TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery  
in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.  
Hongkong, August 31, 1868. 4sep

**SATURDAY.**  
the 5th Sept., 1868, at Noon, on the  
Premises No. 25, Elgin Street,  
A quantity of Handsome HOUSE-  
HOLD FURNITURE, comprising  
Tables, Chairs, Couches, Bedsteads,  
Handsome Sedan Chairs, &c., etc., etc.  
TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery  
in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.  
Hongkong, August 31, 1868. 4sep

**FOR SALE.**  
A FEW Bags of Mocha COFFEE, @ \$7  
per bag of 28 lb.  
Apply to  
G. DUBOST & Co.  
Hongkong, August 31, 1868. 16sep

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STEAM-BOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.**  
**NOTICE.**  
ON and after Monday, the 31st instant,  
one of the Company's Steamers will  
be despatched from Hongkong for Canton  
at Eight o'clock a.m., and from Canton for  
Hongkong at Nine o'clock a.m., every day  
(Sundays excepted) until further notice.  
By order of the Board of Directors,  
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,  
General Agents.  
Hongkong, August 26, 1868.

**HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO  
STEAM-BOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.**  
**NOTICE.**  
NO Steamer will be despatched by the  
Company either from Hongkong or  
Canton on Sunday, the 30th instant.  
By order of the Board of Directors,  
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,  
General Agents.  
Hongkong, August 26, 1868.

**BOARD AND LODGING.**  
GENTLEMEN can be accommodated  
with Board and Lodging on moderate  
Terms, within easy distance of the Queen's  
Road, at "A," 40 Office of this paper.  
Hongkong, August 26, 1868. 16sep

**COOK WANTED.**  
WANTED at the Hongkong Hotel, a first  
class FRENCH COOK, one de-  
tailed to get up large dinners. None but  
a thoroughly efficient man need apply.  
Testimonials to be left in the Office on  
or before the 22nd instant.  
Hongkong, August 17, 1868. 16sep

**HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI  
BANKING CORPORATION.**  
**NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.**  
THE DIVIDEND declared for the half-  
year ended 30th June last, at the rate  
of Twelve per cent per annum, say \$7.50  
per paid-up Share of \$125, and \$1.00 per  
Share on which \$25 have been paid, is pay-  
able at the Offices of the Corporation, where  
Shareholders are requested to apply for  
Warrants.  
By order of the Court of Directors,  
VICTOR KRESSER,  
Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, August 13, 1868. 16sep

**WAR DEPARTMENT CONTRACT.**  
SEALED TENDERS (in duplicate) mark-  
ed "Tender for Walls, Pier and Road-  
way at Kelle's Island," will be received at  
this Office, until Noon on Saturday, the 5th  
September, 1868, from persons desirous of  
contracting for the said work.  
Plans, specification and terms and condi-  
tions of contract can be seen, and all fur-  
ther information obtained, at the Office of  
the Commanding Royal Engineer, Commis-  
sariat Buildings.  
Payment will be made periodically as the  
Work progresses, in the current dollars of  
Hongkong, under the terms and conditions  
of contract before referred to.  
The right of rejecting the whole or any  
of the Tenders is reserved.  
REDMOND UNIAKKE,  
Dep. Commis. Gen.  
Controller's Office, Commissariat,  
Hongkong, August 23, 1868. 28sep

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the 11th instant, will be paid at the Office  
of the General Agents on and after Thurs-  
day, the 10th instant.  
By order of the Board of Directors,  
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,  
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Hongkong, July 14, 1868.

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## New Advertisements.

**PORT OF AMOY.**  
**NOTICE TO MARINERS.**  
THE BUOYS marking the Dangers in the  
Harbour of Amoy have been painted  
according to the Rule in use by the British  
Admiralty and Trinity Board, viz. to mark  
the Starboard side of Channels entering by  
Black or Red Buoys only. The Port side  
of Channels entering by Black or Red  
Buoys Chequered or vertically striped with  
White, and Middle Grounds by horizontally  
striped Buoys.

**KELLET SPIT.**—North end formerly  
marked by a striped Buoy, is now marked  
by a Red Buoy.  
**COCKER ROCKS.**—formerly marked by  
a Red Buoy are now marked by a verti-  
cally striped Red and White Buoy. This  
Buoy has been placed about 20 fathoms to  
the E. S. E. of the shoalest patch, in order  
to guard Vessels against Ledges of Rock,  
with 15 feet water, found to exist in that  
direction, and it may be passed close to on  
the Port Hand when entering the Harbour.  
The shoalest patch or pinnacle of the Cocker  
Rocks, has a floating Beacon on it until  
further notice.

**NEW ROCK.**—in North part of Har-  
bour, and Brown's Rock are marked by  
horizontally striped Buoys.  
In case any of these Buoys are lost or  
moved, the position will be as soon as pos-  
sible be marked by a Flag boat or floating  
Beacon.

**JAMES JONES,**  
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Office of Marine Customs,  
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Agents at Hongkong, Canton and  
Macao for the UNION OF HAMBURG  
UNDERWRITERS, and beg to draw  
attention to \$65-68 and \$127-31 of the  
"Allgemeine See-Versicherungs Bedingun-  
gen von 1867," according to which all  
documents to substantiate claims against  
the Union of Hamburg Underwriters must  
be certified by the Agents, or they will not  
be recognized.

**SIEMSEN & Co.**  
Hongkong, June 16, 1868. 16sep

**FOLMOSA COAL DEPOT AT KILUNG.**  
HAS on hand a large Stock of COAL of  
best quality, and is prepared to quick-  
ly supply Steamers and Sailing Vessels with quick  
despatch at Current Rates, or deliver the  
same under Contract, at Hongkong and any  
Treaty Port in China.

The Depot drawing supplies from the  
best Mines only, intends to provide a superi-  
or article, free of the Surface Coal that  
has hitherto prejudiced consumers.  
MILLISOCH & Co.,  
Agents.  
Kilung, April 2, 1868.

**NEWS AGENCY.**  
J. B. MORRIS, News Agent, Hong-  
kong, being now prepared to receive  
orders for any Newspaper or Magazine  
published in England or The United  
States of America, at prices as low as  
those charged by any home agency,  
begs to solicit the support of the read-  
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The latest copies of the best English  
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For subscription lists, with prices,  
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J. B. MORRIS,  
Care of Messrs BOWRA & Co.,  
Hongkong, March 4, 1868.

**WILLIAMS & KNOX,**  
General & Commission Agents  
NAGASAKI.

**LATEST SHIPPING.**  
**ARRIVALS.**  
Aug. 31, Bunker, 2 guns, H. M. gun-  
boat, 230, Rodney M. Lloyd, Coochin China  
and Hainan, Aug. 20.—[see local news].  
Aug. 31, H. M. gun-boat, *Albatross*,  
Compton E. Donville, from Hainan and  
Coast of China, Tin Pak, 24th August.

**DEPARTURES.**  
Christine, for Whampoa.  
Loretta, for Foochow.  
Norma, for Bangkok.  
Meridian, for Newchwang.  
Sooloo, for Bangkok.

**SHIPPING REPORTS.**  
The Brit. barque *Tower* left Amoy Tues-  
day July 21st; reached Shanghai August  
19th, had light winds and variables right  
through the Straits of Sundra. Thursday  
23rd, had fine weather and light winds;  
the wind all day from the N.E.; midnight,  
experienced very heavy thunder and light-  
ning with showers of rain. Friday 24th,  
commenced with the clear weather; mid-  
night dark and looking very dirty; 12.30  
a.m. had a very heavy shower of rain, the  
wind from the N.E. all the 24 hours. Sat-  
urday, commenced with fine clear weather  
and variables all the 24 hours. Sunday 26th,  
had fine clear weather all the 24 hours,  
with light winds; noon, lat. 3.13 S., long.  
106.38 E. Monday 27th, commenced with  
fine clear weather and light winds; 6 a.m.  
had a very heavy shower of rain with heavy  
thunder and lightning, the wind going  
round the compass; 8.30 p.m. had to  
let go the anchor, it being a flat calm in  
the Gaspar Straits; 7.30 a.m. got under-  
weigh with a light air from the Eastward;  
noon, Gaspar Island bore West, distant 2  
miles. Tuesday 28th, commenced with  
fine clear weather and light winds; fine  
and clear throughout the day. Wednesday  
29th, commenced with fine clear weather  
and light winds; had light winds from the  
N.E. all the 24 hours. Thursday 30th,  
commenced with fine clear weather; mid-  
night, cloudy and all overcast; 8 a.m. thick  
and hazy; noon, same weather. Friday  
31st, thick hazy weather and a strong  
breeze from the N.E.; 4 p.m. had a very  
heavy squall of wind and rain; midnight,  
fine and clear; continued fine to the end  
of the day. Saturday August 1st, fine clear  
weather to the 3rd. Monday 3rd, com-  
menced with thick hazy weather; mid-  
night, very heavy thunder and lightning. Tues-  
day 4th, commenced with heavy weather;  
2 p.m. had a very heavy squall of wind and  
rain and much lightning; the wind from  
the N.W.,—heavy squalls of wind and  
rain all the 24 hours, and a very heavy head  
sea. Wednesday 5th, commenced with a  
heavy gale of wind from the N.W. and a  
tremendous head sea; 4 p.m. the wind  
blew round to the S.W. and blew with  
double violence, ship plunging and labour-  
ing very heavily; at the commencement of  
the gale the barometer was up to 30, and  
during the gale it fell to 28.10; heavy  
weather to the end of the day. Thursday  
6th, wind came from the S.E. with in-  
creased violence; the barometer still kept  
low; a very heavy sea from the N. West.  
Friday 7th, commenced with less wind but  
still a very heavy sea; midnight, thick  
variable winds. Saturday 8th, commenced  
with light winds; moderate weather from  
the 8th to the 15th of the month. Sat-  
urday 15th, commenced with light winds and  
very hot weather, the Thermometer up to  
90° in the shade; continued the same all  
day. Sunday 16th, commenced with dull  
dirty weather; midnight, calm with dull  
and cloudy weather.

**POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS.**  
MAILS WILL CLOSE:  
For SINGAPORE & BOMBAY.—  
Per "DACCIA," on Thursday next, the  
3rd September, at 4 p.m.  
For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.—  
Per "UNION," on Thursday, the 3rd  
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**UNDER DISPATCH.**  
For Singapore and Bombay.—Per *Dacca*,



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## Shipping in Harbour.

## HONGKONG.

Consignees of Vessels will greatly oblige by forwarding corrections of errors in the following list.

Exclusive of To-day's Arrivals, Departures, and Clearances.

O. on Pedder's Wharf.—W.C., from Pedder's Wharf to Gibb's Wharf.—W., Westward of Gibb's Wharf.—E.C., on Pedder's Wharf to the Military Hospital.—E., Eastward of the Hospital.—K., on Kowloon side.

Vessel's Name and Where Anchored.

Captain.

Flag and Rig.

Tons.

Date of Arrival.

Consignees or Agents.

Destination.

Intended Despatch.

1868.

STEAMERS.

Clan Alpine

E. Hutchesson

Brit. str.

940

June

Jardine, Matheson &amp; Co

Bombay

Dacca

W. Hutchesson

Brit. str.

1128

August

14 D. Sassoon Sons &amp; Co

Calcutta, &amp;c.

Lighting

W. C. Rogers

Brit. str.

316

August

26 P. &amp; O. S. N. Co

Bombay, &amp;c.

Orissa

W. C. Anderson

Brit. str.

1646

August

24 P. &amp; O. S. N. Co

Shun Chit

W.

Chil. str.

1700

August

26 Messageries Impariales

Tigre

W. C. Boileve

Feb. str.

SAILING VESSELS.

Agatha Johanna

K. Beahl

N. Ger. bk.

550

August

9 E. Schellbuss &amp; Co

Hamburg

Albert Victor

W. Marshall

Brit. bk.

384

August

25 Carlowitz &amp; Co

Fochow

Albion

K. Tilmer

N. Ger. bk.

316

August

17 Wm. Pustau &amp; Co

Allendale

K. Gray

Brit. bk.

449

August

24 Arnold Karberg &amp; Co

Aurora

K. Garcia

Salv. sh.

483

August

27 Wm. Pustau &amp; Co

Brilliant

W. Schroder

Siam. bg.

339

August

11 Chinese

Caroline

K. Baurhis

Feb. bk.

668

August

11 Landstein &amp; Co

Crested

W. Beid

Brit. bk.

758

August

14 John Burd &amp; Co